State of California Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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TO: Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation Russian River District 25381 Steelhead Blvd. P.O. Box 123 Duncans Mills, CA 95430

PROJECT TITLE: Fort Ross State Historic Park Bench Replacement and Installation

LOCATION: Fort Ross State Historic Park COUNTY: Sonoma

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Replace two existing park benches and install 6 new benches at Fort Ross State Historic park for visitor use. Work will;

- Remove two (2) existing park benches and replace with two (2) new park benches in the same locations.
- Install six (6) additional 6 ft. long, by 32 in. high park benches in various locations throughout public use areas of the park.
- To install benches:
 - Dig two holes (per bench) approximately 24 inches deep, place 2 2" x 4" posts and pour concrete to set.
 - Attach bench and back rest boards to concrete set 2" x 4" posts.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Russian River District

EXEMPT STATUS:

X Categorical Exemption

Class: 2

Section: 15302

Class: 11

Section: 15311

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose as the structure being replaced and the construction of minor structures accessory to existing park facilities, included as "replacement or reconstruction" and "accessory structures" in Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR 15300.4.

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